

## UPDATED RESUME

Jonathan Rose is an attorney specializing in immigration matters, poet, teacher. He has read and lead readings and workshops in bookstores, museums, on radio and television throughout South Florida since 1992. He is a cultural activist and an award-winning poet. He has moderated the Last Friday Poetry Open Mic Readings at Books & Books since 1992.

As a co-founder of Culture in the City, Jonathan has pursued the goal of giving voice to both emerging and well known artists, filmmakers, actors, philosophers, and ideas. On November 15, 2006 he read at Miami Book Fair International. On December 3rd, he led a reading at Books and Books to publicize the January Palm Beach Poetry Festival.

In January of 2007, he attended the Palm Beach Poetry Festival. On Valentine's Day, he led off the poetry reading at the Romance in the Can Film Festival. In March, he performed during the Fluxus Day evening at the Carnival Center. On April 4th, 2007 the Mayor's Office proclaimed Culture in the City Day.

On April 10, Jonathan moderated a panel on George Orwell and *Animal Farm* at the Carnival Center for Culture in the City. Participants on the panel included Carnival Center Artistic Director Justin Macdonnell and Artistic Director of the International Hispanic Theatre Festival, Mario Ernesto Sanchez.

On May 7, Jonathan read stage directions for *SLA VS* by Tony Kushner for the Fantasy Playhouse reading at Arts of St. John's on Miami Beach. On May 13, he was present for Francis Ford Coppola's appearance at the Colony Theatre on Miami Beach. On May 17, he was on a panel to discuss the play *Twelve Angry Men* at the Carnival Center.

The first weekend in June, Culture in the City sponsored City Theatre's *Summer Shorts* and Jonathan was at the Carnival Center on June 10th to welcome the audience.